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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants direct the Examiner's attention to the following references which are listed on the Form PTO-1449 (Substitute) attached hereto as Exhibit A:

1. U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003-0051263 A1, published March 13, 2003 (Andrew Fire et al.);
2. U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003-0055020 A1, published March 20, 2003 (Andrew Fire et al.);
3. U.S. Patent Publication No. 2008-0050342 A1, published February 28, 2008 (Andrew Fire et al.);
4. U.S. Patent Publication No. 2008-0081373 A1, published April 3, 2008 (Andrew Fire et al.);
5. U.S. Serial No. 11/905,368, filed September 28, 2007

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6. Pending claims for U.S. Serial No. 10/282,996, filed October 30, 2002;
7. Pending claims for U.S. Serial No. 10/283,190, filed October 30, 2002;
8. Pending claims for U.S. Serial No. 10/283,267, filed October 30, 2002;
9. Pending claims for U.S. Serial No. 11/826,385, filed July 13, 2007;
10. Pending claims for U.S. Serial No. 11/905,368, filed September 28, 2007; and
11. Pending claims for U.S. Serial No. 11/905,449, filed October 1, 2007.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to make these references of record in the above-identified application by initialing and returning a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 (Substitute).

Copies of items 1 to 4, all U.S. Patent Application Publications, have not been included as Exhibits in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(ii). Items 5 to 11 are available to the Examiner on PAIR.

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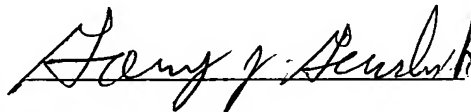
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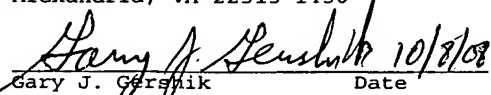
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